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Thomas D. Thalken

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1942

Education: Creighton 1964 BA, 1966 JD Began Service: January 4, 1993 Term Expires: January 4, 2009

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, District of Nebraska, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1971-1980); First Assistant United States Attorney, District of Nebraska, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1981-1993)

Military Service: United States Army (1964-1970)

**Current Memberships:** Nebraska Bar Association; Omaha Bar Association

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#### F. A. Gossett III

Magistrate Judge

Education: Creighton 1972 JD Began Service: May 29, 2003 Term Expires: May 29, 2011

Education: Iowa State 1966 BS

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#### Timothy J. Mahoney

Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1945 Education: Creighton 1967 BS, 1972 JD Began Service: June 28, 1985 Term Expires: June 27, 2013

**Affiliation:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the Eighth Circuit

Academic: Adjunct faculty, Creighton University Law School (1987-1990); Adjunct faculty, Creighton University Law School (1997)

Legal Practice: Partner, Mahoney Jordan Law Firm (1972-1985)

Military Service: National Guard (1967-1973)

Current Memberships: Iowa Bar Association; Nebraska Bar Association; Omaha Bar Association

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#### Philip M. Pro Chief Judge



Date of Birth: 1946 Education: San Francisco State 1968 BA; Golden Gate 1972 JD Began Service: July 23, 1987 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan Political Affiliation: Republican

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable William Compton, Nevada District Court, Eighth Judicial District (1972-1973)

Government: Deputy Public Defender, County of Clark, Nevada (1973-1975); Assistant United States Attorney, District of Nevada, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1975-1978); Deputy Attorney General, Gaming Division, State of Nevada (1979-1980); Assistant United States Attorney, District of Nevada, Department of Justice (1980)

Judicial: Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the District of Nevada (1980-1987); National Council of the United States Magistrate Judges (1986-1987); Judicial Conference of the United States Committee on the Administration of the Magistrate Judges System (1993-1998)

**Legal Practice**: Partner, Semenza, Murphy & Pro (1978-1979)

Military Service: United States Naval Reserve (1964-1968)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; California State Bar Association; Clark County Bar Association; Federal Judges Association Board of Directors; Nevada Inn of Court; Nevada State Bar Association; Nevada Trial Lawyers Association; Washoe County Bar Association

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#### Chambers of District Judge Roger L. Hunt

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#### Roger L. Hunt

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1942

Education: Brigham Young 1966 BA; George Washington 1970 JD Began Service: May 26, 2000

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Government: Deputy District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney, County of Clark, Nevada (1970-1971); Legislative Aide, U.S. Senator Howard W. Cannon (D-NV), United States Senate

Judicial: Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the District of Nevada (1992-2000)

Legal Practice: Associate, Partner, Senior Partner, Edwards, Hunt, Hale and Hansen (1971-1992)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Clark County Bar Association

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#### Kent J. Dawson

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1944 Education: Weber State 1969 BS; Utah 1971 JD Began Service: July 17, 2000

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable James Guinan, Washoe District Court

Government: Assistant City Attorney, City of Henderson, Nevada (1972-1973); City Attorney, City of Henderson, Nevada (1973-1979); General Counsel, Nevada Public Improvement Trust, City of Henderson, Nevada (1973-1995); Interim City Manager, City of Henderson, Nevada (1977)

Judicial: Judge Pro Tem, Henderson Municipal Court (1993-1995); Justice of the Peace, Henderson Justice Court (1995-2000)

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#### Larry R. Hicks

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1943

Education: Nevada (Reno) 1965 BS; Colorado 1968 JD Began Service: November 29, 2001

Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Government:** Deputy District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney, County of Washoe, Nevada (1968-1971); Chief Deputy District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney, County of Washoe, Nevada (1971-1974); District Attorney, Office of District Attorney, County of Washoe, Nevada (1974-1978)

Legal Practice: Partner, McDonald, Carano, Wilson, McCune, Bergin, Frankovich & Hicks, LLP (1979-2001)

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